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MADRID FOR USDEL CSCE

EO 12065: XDS-1 11/18/00 (HAMILTON, WILLIAM C) OR-M  
TAGS: PEPR SHUM CSCE UR SW US  
SUBJ: WALLENBERG CASE

REF: STATE 305189

1. (C-ENTIRE TEXT)

2. THE ATLANTIC MAGAZINE ARTICLE SUGGESTING THAT THE SWEDISH GOVERNMENT HAS INFORMATION THAT WALLENBERG WAS RECENTLY IN THE HORDVINGA-PRISON COMPLEX (REFTEL) HAS NOT YET BEEN SEEN BY THE SWEDISH FOREIGN MINISTRY. THE FOREIGN MINISTRY ACTION OFFICER FOR THE WALLENBERG CASE HAS TOLD US IT IS CERTAINLY NOT TRUE. THE SWEDISH GOVERNMENT HAS NO SIGNIFICANT NEW INFORMATION IN THE WALLENBERG CASE.

3. AS REPORTED IN STOCKHOLM 5047, THE FOREIGN MINISTRY IS SKEPTICAL OF THE WALLENBERG COMMITTEE'S CLAIM TO HAVE SIGNIFICANT NEW INFORMATION.

4. THE SWEDISH EMBASSY IN MOSCOW HAS APPARENTLY NOT  
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ATTEMPTED DIRECT CONTACT WITH MRS KAPLAN OUT OF RESPECT

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FOR HER VERY DIFFICULT SITUATION.

5. AT MADRID, IT IS THE SWEDISH INTENTION TO FOLLOW UP FOREIGN MINISTER ULLSTEN'S MENTION OF RAOUL WALLENBERG IN THE OPENING SWEDISH STATEMENT WITH A SIMILAR MENTION IN THE DISCUSSIONS ON IMPLEMENTATION OF THE FINAL ACT--BUT HOPE THAT THIS MAY BE HELPFUL IS BALANCED WITH CONCERN THAT PUBLIC OPINION WILL BE LED TOWARD THE ERRONEOUS CONCLUSION THAT THE MADRID CONFERENCE CAN PRODUCE ACTUAL MOVEMENT IN THE WALLENBERG CASE.

6. COMMENT: ALL OF THIS CONFIRMS TO US THE WISDOM OF THE DECISION IN WASHINGTON TO CONTINUE TO BE FULLY SUPPORTIVE OF SWEDISH INITIATIVES BUT TO BE SENSITIVE TO THE DIFFICULTIES THE SWEDISH GOVERNMENT FACES IN THIS MATTER AND TO RECOGNIZE THE PRIMACY OF SWEDISH INITIATIVES. HAMILTON

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